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TO AMEMBASSY HELSINKI IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, PBOR, UN

SUBJ: PRIORITY EFFORT TO DEFEAT LOS INVITATION FOR PRG

REF: (A) STATE 216882 (NOTAL) (B) STATE 221353 (NOTAL)

(C) STATE 219689

FOR AMBASSADOR OR CHARGE FROM ASSISTANT SECRETARY STOESSEL

1. PRESENT INDICATIONS ARE THAT ATTEMPT IN UNITED NATIONS  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO INVITE PRG IN ADDITION GVN, AND  
POSSIBLY GRUNK IN LIEU GRK, TO PARTICIPATE IN FORTHCOMING  
LAW OF SEA CONFERENCE WILL COME TO VOTE IN NEW YORK AS  
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EARLY AS NOVEMBER 14. INDICATIONS ARE PRG AND GRUNK HOLD

SMALL VOTING MARGIN AT THIS WRITING.

2. THERE IS SUBSTANTIAL HIGH-LEVEL INTEREST HERE IN  
SEEING THAT ALL IS DONE THAT CAN REASONABLY BE DONE TO  
ASSURE THAT NEITHER PRG NOR GRUNK IS INVITED, FOR REASONS  
SET FORTH REFTELS. I REALIZE YOU HAVE BEEN WORKING ON THIS  
MATTER BUT WANTED YOU TO KNOW HOW IMPORTANTLY THIS ISSUE IS  
VIEWED HERE. IN VIEW OF THE CLOSENESS OF THE VOTE, I  
WOULD PERSONALLY APPRECIATE YOUR REVIEWING ON URGENT BASIS  
WHAT FURTHER STEPS YOU MIGHT STILL BE ABLE TO TAKE TO HELP  
ASSURE A FAVORABLE OUTCOME. RUSH

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